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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 CFR 1.53(b) is a(n):(X) Utility () Design

(X) original patent application,

() continuation-in-part application

INVENTOR(S): Bruce LAVIGNE, et al.

TITLE:

SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR SPECULATIVELY ISSUING MEMORY REQUESTS WHILE MAINTAINING A SPECIFIED PACKET ORDER

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| (X) | sheets of drawings (one set) | (|) Associate Power of Attorney |
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| TOTAL CLAIMS | 30 — 20 | 10 | X \$18 | \$ | 180 |
| INDEPENDENT CLAIMS | 4 — 3 | 1 | X \$84 | \$ | 84 |
| ANY MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS | 0 | | \$280 | \$ | 0 |
| BASIC FEE: Design (\$330.00); Utility (\$740.00) | | | | | 740 |
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